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REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(d)

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This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) of prior application Serial No. 09/305,240, filed May 4, 1999, entitled OPEN DRAIN INPUT/OUTPUT STRUCTURE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF IN SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE by inventor(s) Byung-Sup SHIM, et al.

- 1. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response in the previous application. The extension fee is included and a duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

<u>CLAIMS AS FILED</u>				
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Total Claims	5-20	0	x \$ 18 =	0
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